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SUBJECT: PERU RESPONSE: DEMARCHE (2ND REQUEST AND FOLLOW-UP): CANDIDACY OF DAVID WALKER FOR UN INDEPENDENT AUDIT ADVISORY COMMITTEE (IAAC)

REF: SECSTATE 149678

(SBU) Poloff delivered reftel demarche October 31 to MFA First Secretary for Multilateral Affairs Alexis Aquino, who reported that, despite Post's repeated interventions, Peru has engaged in a vote-swap with Spain and will vote for Spain's candidate in the subject election. Aquino did not elaborate on the nature of the exchange, nor what support Spain had promised in return.

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